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MULTIPLE TOKENS ON A COMMUNICATION RING

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XX Fee Transmittal Form32 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract17 Claims12 Sheets of Formal Drawings (FIGS. 1-11)XX Declaration and Power of AttorneyXX Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO 1449 w/ 14 referencesXX Assignment recordation sheet with assignment to: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES
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Figure 1 consists of 11 sub-diagrams labeled (a) through (k), arranged vertically. Each diagram shows a square domain with a central region of high vorticity, represented by a darker shade. The diagrams illustrate the evolution of a square vortex core over time. (a) shows a square vortex core with a central region of high vorticity. (b) through (j) show the core becoming more circular and the vorticity distribution becoming more uniform. (k) shows a circular vortex core with a uniform vorticity distribution.

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